

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

Application of:

Inventors : Hans Peter Rienhardt
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Title : ELECTROMOTIVE DRIVE
Examiner : Terry M. Johnson Vessels
Docket No. : VAL 218 P2

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**REQUEST TO WITHDRAW NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED
OFFICE (DO/EO/US) ISSUED IN ERROR**

Sir:

Applicants have received, in error, the above notice mailed December 11, 2008. It is noted that Applicants have left numerous phone calls to the Examiner identified on the December 11, 2008 notice to obtain withdrawal of this Notice, but such phone calls have not been returned. Applicant's paralegal telephoned the PCT Help Desk on January 15, 2009 and spoke with Rafael Bacares. Mr. Bacares reviewed the online file of the application and concurred that no missing parts were due. He indicated he would email the Designated/Elected Office to make them aware of this error.

Applicants note that the inventor identified on the December 11, 2008 notice is identified as Heiko A. Hartel. This individual is NOT an inventor on the present application.

Applicants note that the executed Oath and Declaration of the inventors was filed with the original application on June 2, 2006. A review of the transaction history of the online file will confirm this.

Applicants also note that a Notice of Acceptance of Application Under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 CFR 1.495 was issued May 29, 2008 acknowledging filing and receipt of the Oath and Declaration on June 2, 2006.

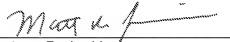
It is respectfully requested that the Notice mailed December 11, 2008 be withdrawn.

Applicant invites the Examiner to contact the undersigned via telephone with any questions or comments regarding this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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